

MÅRTEN MEDBO

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Born in 1964, Järfälla.

Lives and works in Katrineholm, Sweden.

Education

2010-16	PhD Craft, HDK-Valand, University of Gothenburg, Gothenburg
1992-93	Konstfack University College of Art, Craft and Design, Interior Design, Stockholm
1988	Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, Washington, US
1986-92	MFA, Institution of Glass and Ceramics, Konstfack University College of Art, Craft and Design, Stockholm

Selected solo exhibitions

2023	Morfologi, ÖSKG/Tjörnedala konsthall, Baskemölla (SE)
2022	Taxonomy, Galerie NeC, Paris (FR)
2022	Taxonomi, Berg Gallery, Stockholm (SE)
2019	Stulen eld, Ebelingmuseet, Eskilstuna (SE)
2019	Re:visited (Morfologi), Avesta Art, Avesta (SE)
2018	Morphology, Galerie NeC, Paris (FR)
2018	Oddball, Christian Larsen Gallery, Stockholm (SE)
2017	Thinking Through Clay, Katrineholms Konsthall, Katrineholm (SE)
2016	Market Art Fair, Christian Larsen Gallery, Stockholm (SE)
2016	Endnote, Galleri Thomassen, Gothenburg (SE)
2015	Mårten Medbo, Christian Larsen Gallery, Stockholm (SE)
2013	Homo Capax, Galerie NeC x Institut Suédois, Paris (FR)
2012	Han med aporna, Gotlandic Art Museum, Visby (SE)
2011	Schoolyard Monkeys, Galerie NeC, Paris (FR)
2010	Schoolyard Monkeys, Galleri Inger Molin, Stockholm (SE)
2009	Céramiques & verres, Galerie NeC, Paris (FR)
2009	Creatures, Nääs Konsthantverk, Floda (SE)
2008	Oh I didn't know, John Michael Kohler Art Center, Sheboygan, Wisconsin (US)
2007	L-ABC, Galleri Inger Molin, Stockholm (SE)
2004	Smålands museum, Växjö (SE)
2004	Organism, Borlänge Konsthall, Borlänge (SE)
2003	Fosforos (w. Hanna Stahle), Galleri Inger Molin, Stockholm (SE)

Selected group exhibitions

2021	Mera lera, Sörmlands museum, Nyköping (SE)
2021	CARTE BLANCHE À LA GALERIE NEC, Institut Suédois, Paris (FR)
2020	Exposé 2020, Linköping (SE)
2019	Kristalova, Medbo & Sundberg, Steneby konsthall, Dals Långed (SE)

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2019	Nationalmuseum x Läckö Slott, Lidköping (SE)
2016	I call it the universal cycle, RYMD Konstrum, Stockholm (SE)
2015	Soul of a Bowl, Vogooze Gallery, Seoul (KR)
2015	Zwinger und ich, Bomuldsfabriken Kunsthall, Arendal (NO)
2014	Fire, Venus over Manhattan, New York (US)
2014	European Ceramic Context, Bornholm (DK)
2012	Making knowledge, Gustavsbergs Konsthall (SE)
2011	Swedish Contemporary Craft Art, Korea Foundation Cultural Center Gallery, Seoul (KR)
2010	Black, Blanc, Rouge, Galerie NeC, Paris (FR)
2010	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, Handwerker Gallery, Ithaca College, Ithaca, Cedarhurst Center for the Arts, Mount Vernon, Hillstrom Museum of Art, St Peter, Minnesota (US)
2009	Formfröjd, Kulturen i Lund (SE)
2009	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, Dubuque Museum of Art, Dubuque, The Trout Gallery, Dickinson College, Carlisle (US)
2008	Taide, Galeria Norsu, Helsinki (FI)
2008	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, Design Museum Gent, Gent (BE)
2008	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, House of Sweden, Washington DC (US)
2007	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, Musées de Châteauroux, Châteauroux (FR)
2007	The International Exhibition of Glass Kanazawa 2007, Notojima Glass Art Museum, Ishikawa (JP)
2007	Ännu större skala, Statens Konstråd / Public Art Agency Sweden, Stockholm (SE)
2007	Konst i glas, Pro Artibus, Ekenäs (FI)
2006	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe, Hamburg (DE)
2006	Voices: Contemporary Ceramic Art from Sweden, Europäisches Industriemuseum für Porzellan, Selb (DE)
2005	Sundberg, Kihlgren, Medbo, Galleri Inger Molin, Stockholm (SE)
2005	Schwedisches Glasdesign, Pommersches Landesmuseum, Greifswald (DE)
2005	Beyond Blond, Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles & Felissimo, New York (US)
2004	Beauty and the Beast, Crafts Council, London (UK)
2004	Vetri. Nel mondo. Oggi, Istituto Veneto de Science Lettere ed Arti, Venice (IT)
2003	Nordic Contemporary Craft, Röda Sten Konsthall, Gothenburg (SE)
2003	The Bombay Sapphire Blue Room, Geffery Museum, London (UK)

Public commissions

2021	"Bubbles", Pepparotsbadet, Enköping
2019	"Frösamling", Skogomeskolan, Gothenburg
2011	Rättsspsykiatriska kliniken, Huddinge
2010	"Upptåg", Norrland University Hospital, Umeå
2008	"I en egen värld", Danderyd Hospital, Stockholm
2007	"Silverraster", Salaberga-anstalten, Sala
2007	"Så ett frö", Lännaskolan, Slite

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2005	"Snigeln väg", Mittuniversitetet, Sundsvall
2001	"Betongraster", Säveskolan, Visby
1998	"Fontän", Klinteskolan, Gotland

Collections

Nationalmuseum (SE)
 Röhsska Museum (SE)
 John Michael Kohler Art Center (US)
 The Icelandic Museum of Design and Applied art (IS)
 Smålands Museum, Växjö, (SE)
 Eskilstuna Konstmuseum (SE)
 Höganäs Ceramic Museum (SE)
 The Swedish Art Council
 Stockholm Konst (SE)
 Gotland Art Museum (SE)
 Several Municipal and County Council collections, Sweden

Selected grants

2017	Göteborgs slöjdförening
2017	Public Art Agency Sweden, two-year working grant
2017	Estrid Ericsson's Foundation
2014	Hertha Bengtsson Foundation
2011	Göteborgs slöjdförening
2008	Artist in residence at JMKAC, Sheboygan, USA
2008	Estrid Ericsson's Foundation
2008	Längmanska Cultural Foundation

Publications

Mårten Medbo: *Clay-Based Experience & Languageness*, 2022. Publisher: Konstfack. Series: Konstfack Research Collection, 3. (Doctoral Dissertation, English translation.)
 Mårten Medbo: *Lerbaserad erfarenhet och språklighet*, 2017. Publisher: ArtMonitor, University of Gothenburg. (Doctoral Dissertation.)

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